

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT  
Bureau of the Budget  
Washington 25, D.C.

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My dear Admiral Hillenkoetter:

Confirming the oral advice heretofore communicated to members of your staff, I am authorized by the Director of the Bureau of the Budget to advise you that there would be no objection to the Central Intelligence Agency presenting, for the consideration of the Congress, the attached revised draft of the bill entitled "To provide for the administration of the Central Intelligence Agency, established pursuant to Section 102, National Security Act of 1947, and for other purposes."

Very truly yours,

(s) Elmer B. Staats

Assistant Director,  
Legislative Reference

Rear Admiral R. H. Hillenkoetter,  
Director, Central Intelligence Agency,  
Washington, D. C.

Enclosure: Revised draft of bill.